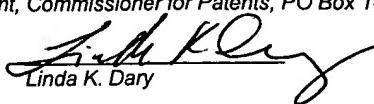




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Applicant : Greg Sims
Application No. : 09/800,153
Filed : March 5, 2001
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Quirk & Tratos
3773 Howard Hughes Pkwy
Suite 500 North
Las Vegas, Nevada 89109

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is an amendment in response to the Office action dated February 12, 2003.

Calculation of Fee

Item	Highest number previously paid for	Claims in Excess	Claim Fees	Fee Due
Number of Claims After Amendment	24	20	4	$0 \times 9.00 = \$0$
Independent Claims After Amendment	5	4	1	$0 \times \$42.00 = \0
				Total Fees \$78

Also enclosed are:

- A request for two-month extension of time (\$205).
- Affidavit of Edward J. Quirk
- A \$283 check to cover the additional claim fee and fee for extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or overpayment of fees which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 502466. Please show our docket number with any Deposit Account transaction.

A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

QUIRK & TRATOS

By: 

Edward J. Quirk
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Introductory Comments

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 12, 2003.

An appropriate Petition for Extension of Time has been filed concurrently herewith along with the appropriate fee extending the pendency of this application up to and including July 12, 2003. The appropriate fee is also included for the additional total claims.

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